

Transportation Services: Air Freight Tender

Date: 24 April 2013

Question being posed on the shipping tender and Embassy Pretoria's responses

Q 1. Do you have an electronic format in which we can work with and complete for submission of the tender?

Answer: Yes we do have an electronic format of the tender for your perusal. The pdf document is posted on the Embassy website.

Q 2. From what I understand the RFQ is only for import local land side charges being clearance / delivery to various destinations?

Answer: The request is from port of Johannesburg (imports) to either the U.S. Embassy, Pretoria or surrounding Pretoria area, U.S. Consulate General, Johannesburg or surrounding area of the consulate, U.S. Consulate General, Durban or the surrounding area and also the U.S. Consulate General, Cape Town or the surrounding area.

Q 3. What is the process for booking cargo with Airlines and which carriers, as we don't see any requirements for Airfreight rates (import/export) and destinations?

Answer: Airfreight rates would not be applicable on import shipments and export rates will be required as and when needed basis only.

Q 4. Would you be able to provide an indication on commodities / number of shipments and volumes per week for clearance / delivery?

Answer: The pouch shipments are delivered 2 times a day to both Johannesburg and Pretoria, a dedicated driver and assistant, and a vehicle would be required. The volume varies and we would not be able to give you an accurate estimate however if you take the estimated volume and divide by approximately 240 working days.